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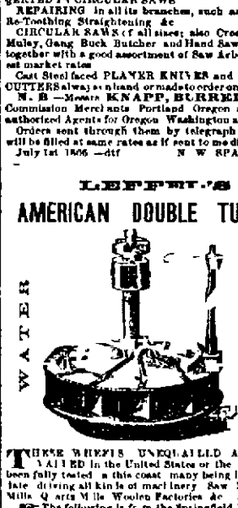

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☞ The following is from the Springfield Republic.

Trial of Water Wheels.

Messrs Jonathan Child and John A McCreight who are also establishing mills and factories at Harper's Ferry Va. wished to procure water wheels, and desiring to make a choice of Springfield Wheels, procured a trial between the Leffel Double Turbine and the Welch and Burns Wheel. The following report of the Committee shows the result of the trial.

SPRINGFIELD O Oct 11 1867

This is to certify that on the 9th and 10th days of October 1867 I in company with Mr Stanley Civil Engineer Mechanical Engineer carefully measured the amount of water used by the best Leffel Double Turbine and Welch & Burns Water wheels made by Reid the Millwright and Baker made at Weimer's mill near West Milton Miami Co. The contract requiring the Leffel wheel to use same quantity of water as the Welch & Burns and to give with the same head and fall as much power. The amount of grinding was superintended by Mr Charles Morgan as well as reports of the results.

The amount of water used in the tests as measured by myself and Mr Stanley is as follows

	Cubic inches per minute
At ¾ gate the Leffel Wheel used	58 234
Welch & Burns used	88 234
At ¾ gate the Leffel Wheel used	117 468
Welch & Burns used	17 468

The grinding was continued for equal amounts and

WILLIAM BROWN
Civil Engineer
R S STANLY

Having been chosen by both parties to determine the amount of grinding done by each of the above mentioned wheels the result was as follows

The Leffel Wheel at ¾ gate ground	2nd Pos
The Welch & Burns at ¾ gate ground	3½ Pos
The Leffel Wheel at ¾ gate ground	4 3½ Pos
The Welch & Burns at ¾ gate ground	1 2

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To all whom it may concern

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 19, 1868

"The Ancient Landmarks"

As the "Democrat o" Convention assembles in Portland to day, the present is an opportune occasion for making a brief inquiry into the past history of that party We propose to group together some facts from its written record hoping that they will materially assist the Committee on Resolutions in preparing a platform which shall accord with "the ancient landmarks," and present the "time honored principles of Democracy"

It is all important that the platform should be founded on a solid basis It should therefore begin with the first resolution of the platform which was adopted by the "Democratic" State Convention of Oregon in 1864 For the convenience of the platform makers, we quote

Resolved, 1st. That we renew our faith in, and devotion to, the Virginia and Kentucky Resolutions of 1798-9, and the ancient landmarks of the Democracy.

Will the party go back from the "ancient landmarks?" We shall see. It ought to be observed here that just three years before the "Democrats" of Oregon "renewed their faith" as above shown, "President" Davis, of the Confederate States of America, addressed a message to his Congress, declaring that they had withdrawn from the Union in conformity with the doctrines of the Resolutions of 1798-9, and that the Democratic party, by its reiterated affirmation and adoption of those resolutions stood committed to the principles and "justified re solem. For the further information and convenience of the Committee on Resolutions in the Convention to day, we refer them to "President" Davis' message of April 29, 1861.

Almost equally valuable as an exposition of the nature and powers of the Government, and as an application of the workings of the resolutions of '98 which the Oregon "Democracy" have been accustomed to "renew their faith in," is the last annual message of President Buchanan. By this document the nation is informed that "no power is delegated to the Government or to any other department of the Federal Government to coerce into submission a State which is attempting to withdraw, or has actually withdrawn, from the Union." Wouldn't it be well, in view of possible future contingencies, for the "Democratic" Convention to reaffirm the teaching of this kind? For who knows but the United States may, at some future time, conclude to "resume their delegated powers" and find it necessary to deny the right of the Government to enter into submission?" The "Democratic party," if guided by broad views of statesmanship, will look to the future and provide for the "possibilities." As its past record is as clear on the point as it should preserve in its purity, and forever, from by silence, acquiesence in the outrageous, unconstitutional and tyrannical doctrine that the Federal Government may coerce into submission a State which chooses to withdraw from the Union. That the record of the party in this respect perfectly consistent on this point we will now demand that Beriah Brown, who, we believe, is a member of the Convention, shall offer a resolution in these words, which he will find in his leading editorial in the San Francisco Call of June 26th, 1864:

"*Resolved*, That "the pretence of using the military force of the Government to suppress rebellion, to put down insurrection, or compelling the seceding States to the Union by force of arms, is false, and aimed at the principles upon which the Government was founded."

Will the Convention have thus "renewed their faith" in "time honored principles" and settled beyond a possibility of the "ancient landmarks," they have thus reaffirmed the doctrines held by their two Presidents, Buchanan and Davis, and supported by their party through the whole period of the war; after they have thus declared for the grand individuating principles of the party which made Democracy what Democracy is, it will be easy to construct the rest of the platform. The resolution about the "nigger," one about Pierce and one about bonds, and the whole may be considered complete. So much as to the platform. We will now improve the opportunity to present to Democratic reading of a mis[illegible] sort, drawn from the most authentic and [illegible] sources. We do this in the hope that it will be found interesting to the gentlemen who compose the Convention, and illustrative of the [illegible] way of the "time-honored principles" [illegible] recovered to recall to their recollection.

On the 18th of January, 1861, George H. Pendleton, three years later the Democratic candidate for the Vice Presidency, and now their declared [illegible] in the States west of Ohio for President, said in a speech in Congress:

"Now, sir, what force of arms can compel a State [illegible] to do that which she has agreed to do? What force of arms can compel a State to refrain from doing that which her State government, supported by the [illegible] of her people, is determined to do? [illegible] Sir, the whole scheme of coercion is impracticable. It is contrary to the genius and spirit of the Constitution.

"The State governments of the South, "supported by the sentiment of their people" were determined to "persist in rebellion," and Pendleton, following the "genius and spirit of the Constitution," as expounded in the Resolutions of '98, declared the whole scheme of coercion violative of the fundamental law. The bill [illegible] be held, should be let alone. He said further:

"If your differences are so great that you cannot or will not reconcile them, then, gentlemen, let the seceding sisters depart in peace; let them establish their government and empire and work out their destiny according to the wisdom which God has given them.

And again:

"If the Southern States cannot be conciliated, if you do not find it in your hearts to grant their demands; if they must leave the family mansion, I say, unless their departure by tokens of love, and I would bid them farewell so tenderly [illegible] it would be ever touched by their recollection of it.

While the Southern rebels, in 1860, were preparing the great conspiracy, ex President Pierce wrote the following words of encouragement to Jefferson Davis:

"If fighting comes it will not be along Mason and Dixon's line merely. It will be within our own borders, in our own streets, between the two classes of citizens to whom I have referred. If we ever reach the arbitrament of arms, they, (abolitionists) will find employment enough at home.

In April, 1864, Alexander Long, a Democratic member of Congress who was held in high estimation by his party, said on the floor of the House:

"Pride of territorial ambition is a vulgar and low ambition of national greatness I do not believe there can be any prosecution of the war against a sovereign State under the Constitution, and I do not believe that a war so carried on can be prosecuted so as to render it proper, justifiable or expedient. There are but two alternatives, and they are either an acknowledgement of the [illegible] of the South or their complete subjugation; and of these alternatives I prefer the former.

It would be easy to continue these extracts to any extent, all from the best Democratic sources. We might quote at length and to the same effect from that high Democratic authority, Vallandigham; from the Woods, Ben. and Fernando, from Richardson of Illinois, and Harris of Maryland, from Democratic platforms in Indiana, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and California. We might multiply extracts by the yard from Democratic papers published during the rebellion, all teeming with the same spirit of "Democracy" which is manifested in the remarks we have quoted. But we trust we have given enough for the purpose of the Convention which will meet here to day,—and that our timely efforts will be rewarded by seeing that assemblage put forth a platform strictly in accordance with the "time honored principles of the party." All of which is respectfully submitted.

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO MARCH 18.

Washington News

WASHINGTON, March 17 — The Supreme Court has decided unconstitutional the State law of Nevada levying a tax of one dollar each on passengers leaving that State by coach or railroad

The Congressional proceeding yesterday was of little importance In the Senate, Sherman from the Finance Committee reported the House bill exempting certain manufacturers from internal revenue tax with amendments relating to tax on turpentine, &c. Pending discussion Sherman moved to substitute a free tax on refined sugars, provided for reduction of duties on sugar candy, confectionery and kindred articles, also removing limitations and bonding privilege. The bill leaves the tax on Pacific coast liquors as at present, but changes the tax on Pacific coast brandy so as to make it uniform with the rate on all other states, leaving future unchanged Hendricks moved to add a bill to amend the Internal Revenue law so as to remove the tax on all articles used in the manufacture of agricultural implements. Sherman was opposed to considering the bill at this session, as it involved a deficiency of twenty odd thousand dollars against it, which would be doing such injustice in legislation as would be expected by the people That being the case, I move the bill be recommitted The motion was agreed to

Pollard introduced a substitute which was also referred to the House Adjourned

Laborers for California.

NEW YORK, March 17 — The *World* says 1,200 laborers sailed on the *Henry Chauncey* for San Francisco in search of employment

Great Storm at the East.

NEW YORK, March 17 — A Lansingburg dispatch says there is a terrible freshet The aqueduct at Crescent has been swept away, carrying with it 30 canal boats At Schenectady the bridges had all been carried away and the destruction of property is immense. The Hoosick, Rensselaer and Saratoga Railroad bridge near Waterford is destroyed. The water is receding.

CHICAGO, March 17 — A furious rain storm, accompanied by violent wind thunder and lightning, passed over this city last night. The telegraph wires are down at work, and no news was received from the east A house in the north division was blown down and a woman instantly killed, and a man probably fatally injured

St Patrick's Day was enthusiastically celebrated by processions, &c, notwithstanding the bad state of the weather.

CHICAGO, March 17 — Reports arrive from all directions of damage by the storm last night It seems to have been general all over the country. Houses were blown down and railroad tracks badly damaged From fifty to fifty-five buildings were blown down and a number of others more or less damaged in this city Several lives are reported lost at various places

Further About the Storm.

CHICAGO, March 18 — The storm Monday night raged throughout Ohio and all States north of the Ohio river to the Mississippi river, also in Kentucky, Tennessee, Iowa, Missouri, etc. Great damages are reported The draw of the Great Mississippi Railroad bridge, at Rock Island, was lifted from the pivot and broken in two, falling into the river One man was killed and three badly injured Col L. B. Greggsby, of Ky, has been appointed Inspector of Customs of the United States at Panama.

Southern Constitutions.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 17 — The Convention adjourned, after signing the Constitution

CHARLESTON, March 17 — The Convention adjourned *sine die* The Constitution contains 15 articles and 217 sections

From Mexico.

HAVANA, March 16 — William Moran, a Mexican editor, committed suicide

Another conspiracy against the government of Juarez had been discovered

Morales' account for furnishing supplies for hospitals and prisons during the empire has been recognized as legal A Cabinet council had been held at the capitol, with Iglesias as President

The election of Sanchez Ochoa to Congress had been annulled and he has again been thrown into prison

The colonists from Galveston arrived at Tuxpon

The Mexican Congress has adjourned till March 25th Many points of legislation are left untouched The railroad concessions have not been discussed It is feared that the English contractors will be deprived of their rights and the roads be seized by other parties It is thought that propositions for a new road between Vera Cruz and Puebla will not be carried The general situation of affairs is unsatisfactory Fears and troubles are universal Incendiary fires, robberies and murders are frequent in the capital, and the streets of the city are unsafe at night

HAVANA, March 17 — There is here and reports that Minister Romero is straining every nerve to restore the national credit Passengers from Vera Cruz say some Congressmen are discussing the expediency of expelling all Spaniards unless they become naturalized citizens Nearly all the parties engaged in the late conspiracy are Spaniards Troops had been sent from Santiago de Cuba The Captain General, Lesaudi, is there, and had given the same banner to the volunteer as to the regular troops

NEW YORK, March 17 — City of Mexico specials to the *Herald*, state that a report is prevalent that Marquez is about instituting a Expedition against the Republic Several foreigners had been arrested, and an American had been ordered to leave the country A battle took place on the 19th of February between Rubs and Marines near Mazatlan Rubs was routed. Pesferro Diaz is mentioned for Minister

HAVANA, March 18 — Several Spanish officers in Mexican service have been implicated in the late conspiracy The plan was concerted with Santa Anna Marquez and others, and had for its object to proclaim Gen Almonte Some of them will probably be shot Juarez will probably send a commission to Gen Lorsundi, asking him to preserve the neutrality laws

From Cuba.

NEW YORK, March 18 — The *Herald's* special from Havana says when Madame Rimbal was announced to play the character of Teresa, the Bishop of Havana interfered and denounced the performance to the authorities, but he was not much heeded The Bishop in consequence, ordered all the churches of all the districts through which Gen Lorsundi was to pass on a tour bring rung in the country No church bells in his [illegible] Lorsundi returned and telegraphed to Madrid, when he received a reply to make himself respected The Bishop has been put under arrest at his palace, but will probably be sent to Puerto Rico to await orders from Madrid

The Cadiz mail steamer has been detained to by Gen Lorsundi to take certain

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING MARCH 19 1868

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates ...
New York Gold Quotations ...

THE CELEBRATION OF ST PATRICK'S DAY ... regular editorial article appeared ... the Hibernian Society ... evening concert, the celebration of the festival of St Patrick ... on Tuesday ... The general order ... the Hibernian Society ... were to assemble ... at the Engine House ... proceed to the Catholic Church ... Father O'Neil ... Father Hill ... Father Hill ... Father O'Neil ... Father Hill ... Father O'Neil ... Father Hill ... Father O'Neil

ST PATRICK'S DAY.

ORATION DELIVERED BY JOHN DONOLAN, MARCH 17TH, 1868, AT ODD FELLOWS HALL, PORTLAND

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen—At the solicitation of those gentlemen who compose the Committee of Arrangements delegated by the various Irish American civil and military organizations of this city for celebrating the anniversary of Ireland's patron Saint with the pomp and solemnity, I appear before you to-day to address you on as important an odeum and as sublime a topic as the one which is spoken of in different parts of the world in commemoration of Ireland's patron Saint and the Irishman's Father land. I assure you, my fellow citizens it is with extreme reluctance I assume the task, knowing full well my inability and limited capacity to do anything like justice to so vast and important a subject as the anniversary of St Patrick's Day. It recalls to the minds of Irishmen and their descendants the memories of ages are

"The Romans or the Hun, the Norman or the Dane,
Had first set foot on Briton or trampled hosts of slain

It matters not what part of the habitable globe they dwell on, whether on the Mississippi or the Indus, the fond recollections of St Patrick's Day carries them back in thought to the land of their fathers, where all the scenes of childhood's happy days rise up in sublime beauty before the imagination.

How vividly appear to the minds of Irishmen all the joys and sorrows, sufferings and tribulations of their race these thousand years past! On reflection, what anguish and grief it sends to his very soul when he contemplates the many little efforts made to regenerate his native land!—the rivers of blood that have been shed in the field and on the scaffold whilst endeavoring to get a foothold in the catalogue of nations! A holy horror comes stealing o'er the spirit of his frame—when he meditates and ponders on the virtue and fortitude of those numerous departed martyrs who offered up their pure lives as a holocaust on the altars of their country's liberty, whilst endeavoring to burst the galling fetters of British bondage. All the licentiousness and indulgences that a vile and corrupt government could bestow have been conferred on the mercenary vampires who are ready to be the pliant tools to crush and persecute the noble souled patriots who have sacrificed everything they held dear on this earth upon life—for the amelioration of their suffering country. It is not necessary for me to enter into the long list of grievances that Ireland has suffered; it would fill volumes, all of which might have been written with the blood of her martyred sons—but all to no purpose, but to instill into the minds of the rising generation the hatred they should entertain for the usurper, who scatters and keeps people broadcast throughout the universe, on the eastern and western hemispheres, through out the torrid and frigid zones.

What a contrast do we find between the Irishmen at home and abroad! In the land of his birth all the avenues to distinction and honors are closed against him unless he condescends to be the vassal of a partisan aristocracy, whose primary object is to crush the peasant and drive him from the soil of his ancestors, when he is forced to seek refuge amid the pestilence of an emigrant ship or perish from the wintry blast, being despoiled of his patrimony and inheritance.

Ireland has no parallel in the annals of history. We have heard and read of famines in different parts of the world from various causes and calamities, such as long and protracted sieges and great mortality throughout the land, but there her towns and fair cities were made desolate with famine in the midst of plenty; one class revels in luxury and wealth, mingled in all the gaiety and festivity of the day, whilst pestilence and desolation are ravaging among a peasant's cot through the length and breadth of the land. We have but to look to the Irish export statistics of that period and find that hundreds of thousands of cattle and great quantities of grain, poultry and food of every description were shipped from Irish seaports, to feed the English masses, while many a stout Irish and noble soul were swept into eternity for want of common necessaries to sustain life.

Volumes could be written, this is awful to contemplate. Neither modern history, sacred or profane, contains nothing to equal it. Naturally, the sage and philosopher will ask the cause of this. The problem is easily solved—misgovernment and class legislation.

How did the Irishmen in every country where their talent are rewarded with trust and fealty? It is counted in for his share. In every battle on land and sea, he makes his mark; in the army and navy, in the pulpit, at the bar, in close union with that all-powerful lever, the press. At this hour no future day will be wielded against the Anglo Saxon. Every Irishman firmly believes in this manifest destiny, and will be the agent in some future period of inflicting proper punishment for the outrages and wrongs of past centuries. The Irishman of to-day exultingly beholds the rapid advancement of his race on this continent. Under our glorious free institutions, the dawn of future events and the increase of his numbers, is bound to wield an influence in the National Policy. He is always found in the front rank, ever ready to stand in defense of the liberty he has helped to maintain our laws and Constitution. He has done to-day, thousands of miles away from his native land, organized for one of the most holy and noble purposes. Its object is worthy of the Irishman's Society, "We visit the widow and bury the dead?"

The Society or its promulgator, called the "Ancient Order of Sons of St. Patrick," dates back in the early history of the United States. It was organized in Philadelphia almost a century ago. The first Pledge was published in a certain part of the United States, printed and published in that city by one of its members, named John Binns and Mathew Carey. Many pioneers and patriots are to be found the names of General Washington, General Sullivan, General Conway, Gen. Anthony Wayne and General Montgomery, together with several other Revolutionary celebrities of the day, as being honorary members of this benevolent association. During the dark days of the Revolutionary struggle, was heard the sympathetic voice of Ireland consoling us through her Parliament from across the broad Atlantic. On another occasion have we beheld Irish friendship and loyalty. When that bold and intrepid statesman, Ethan Allen, was on his return from England, where he was held captive as prisoner of war, that bark which bore home our noble hero had to seek refuge in the Cove of Cork from the impending storm. The citizens of that place, true to their generous natures, on learning that that distinguished American patriot and soldier was on board, waited on the noble warrior with their tribute of respect, a handsome purse and everything such as was adapted to the wants of him and his companions after their long absence and confinement, much to the chagrin and displeasure of the English Captain.

At a later period, when that hydra-headed monster of Europe was striking at the very vitals of Ireland's existence, we hear again that conservative body of Ireland, re-echoing back from Mount Eagle and the mountains of Donegal, urging her sons to battle to maintain our glorious Union and our motto, and admonishing us not to forsake that emblem of liberty, the old Flag and Stripes.

When I look around me and see so many stalwart men and fair women assembled together, the farmer leaving his plow, the workmen the spade and hammer, all having laid aside the cares and toils of life to honor and celebrate the anniversary of St. Patrick's Day, it is a self evident fact that there is something sacred and sublime connected with his life and history. Though it is more than fifteen centuries ago since he departed this life, yet he is as fresh in the memory